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APPLICANT(S): Tomitaro Hara, et al DOCKET NO.: 09792909-4805  
SERIAL NO.: 09/803,561 GROUP ART UNIT: 1745  
DATE FILED: March 9, 2001 EXAMINER: Tracy Mae Dove  
TITLE : "SOLID ELECTROLYTE CELL"

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AMENDMENT "C" AFTER FINAL

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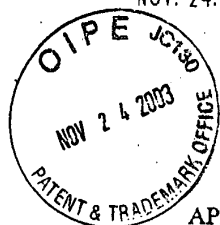
Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend this time for response to the FINAL Office Action dated June 23, 2003 for two months so that the period for response is extended to November 23, 2003. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$420.00 for the extension to American Express Account No. 378571697401002. PTO Form 2038 is attached for that purpose.

This Amendment "C" After Final is filed in response to the Advisory Action of October 15, 2003. Please reconsider the application in view of the remarks presented below.

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Additional claim fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	9	MINUS	20		( ) X 9.00 ( ) X 18.00	\$
INDEP. CLAIMS	1	MINUS	3		( ) X 43.00 ( ) X 86.00	\$
Application amended to contain any multiple dependent claims Not previously paid for.				( ) YES ( ) NO	( ) \$145.00 ( ) \$290.00 ONE TIME	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$420.00	

- ☒ Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend this time for response to the FINAL Office Action dated June 23, 2003 for two (2) months so that the period for response is extended to November 23, 2004.
- ☒ The Commissioner is requested and authorized to charge the amount of \$420.00 for the 2-month extension fee to American Express Account No. 378571697401002. Form 2038 is attached for that purpose.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to account No. 19-3140. PTO Customer Account No. 26263. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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